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Railroad Time Card.

POTOSI BRANCH
GOING NORTH.

STATIONS	840	842	844	846
	LV	LV	LV	LV
Potosi	5:00	5:10	5:20	5:30
Mineral Point	5:15	5:25	5:35	5:45
	AR	AR	AR	AR

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS	841	843	845	847
	LV	LV	LV	LV
Mineral Point	5:20	5:30	5:40	5:50
Potosi	5:35	5:45	5:55	6:05
	AR	AR	AR	AR

Train 842 has no northbound connection.

MAIN LINE.

	NORTH	Ar. St. Louis.
Due Mineral Point.	No. 6-5:18 a m	7:27 a m
	No. 22-8:30 p m	6:27 p m
	SOUTH	Ar. Mineral Point.
Le St. Louis.	No. 7-7:50 a m	10:45 a m
	No. 9-5:31 p m	8:48 p m

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NOTICE.

Those who desire their probate court notices or any other legal advertising printed in the Journal, should give instructions to that effect to the court officers or the attorney having charge of the matter.

Bids For Depository of Funds.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the county court of Washington county until noon of the first day of May term 1915, of said court from banking corporations, associations and individual bankers in said county for the deposit of the county funds.

District school funds and capital school funds of said county for two years next ensuing. In compliance with sec. 3803 R. S. of Mo. 1909.

The county monies have been divided into three funds. Fund number 1, fund number 2 and fund number 3 and proposal from the same bidder may be made for the custody of the three funds or he may bid for either fund. Since proposal or bid must state the largest rate of interest that said banking corporation, associations or individual banker will pay on daily balance to the credit of said county with said depository on said funds as provided by law for the privilege of being made the depository of such funds.

Since proposal must further specify the rate of exchange if any said banking corporation, association or individual banker will charge and said proposal must be accompanied by a duly certified check on some solvent bank for not less than one half of one percent of the county revenue of said county payable to the treasurer of said county as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder and if his bid should be accepted he will enter into a bond as law provides.

No bids will be considered unless said certified check accompanies the same. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

GEO. NOONAN, Clerk of Co. Court, Washington County, Missouri, Potosi, Mo., April 10, 1915.

Skipper's New Title.

As a rule skippers, outside the three-mile limit, manage to show in some way or other that they are sovereigns of the deep, carrying out the ancient saying that a captain is the "king of his ship." There was one exclusive captain sailing out of San Francisco who not only had his own steamer chair, but had known the fact that it was his chair and his alone by having painted across the back the words "Captain Only."

The day after the vessel sailed on a particular voyage one of the passengers happened to seat himself in the skipper's deck chair and was immediately told by a steward that the chair was for the comfort of none but the captain. The passenger arose, and having circled the deck several times, saw the skipper reclining in the chair.

He strolled leisurely over. "Good morning, Captain Only," he said, with a mock salute, and passed on.

LOCAL ITEMS

Strawberries soon.

House cleaning time.

School days will end in four weeks.

Spring is producing the goods now.

Elvins had an \$8,000 fire one night recently.

The autoists were busy raising a dust Sunday.

Mr. Jas. A. Shields spent Thursday in St. Louis.

Clement Connolly of St. Louis spent Sunday here.

Mrs. John MacLay spent Saturday last in St. Louis.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Hanlon, April 17th, a boy.

Mrs. H. E. Blount and daughters spent Saturday in St. Louis.

Mr. Francis Cordia spent the latter part of last week in St. Louis.

Mrs. H. C. Bell and son, John, were St. Louis visitors Friday.

Norman Arthur Maxwell is visiting his Grandma Johnson at Belgrade this week.

Miss Helen Long visited in St. Louis and De Soto several days of the past week.

Mrs. J. L. Eaton of Bismarck visited N. A. Maxwell and family here last week.

O. M. Monroe, a well-known banker of De Soto, died on April 9th, aged 59 years.

Miss Bagwell and Miss Sallie Settle made a shopping trip to St. Louis last Saturday.

Mrs. Nellie Shields returned to St. Louis Sunday, after a visit to friends at this place.

Never have the fruit trees been more heavily laden with blossoms than they are this spring.

Mrs. F. A. Province of Irondale was a visitor at this office Saturday to renew her subscription.

Mr. Leander Cole of Fourche a Renault was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Healey Boyer, Sunday.

Mrs. Hugh Simpson and children of St. Louis are visiting relatives here. Mr. Simpson was also here Sunday.

Lee E. Townsend and family, N. A. Maxwell and family, and Mrs. J. L. Eaton of Bismarck, motored to Belgrade, Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Dale and children returned to their home at Upper Alton, Ill., Saturday, after a month's visit with relatives and friends here.

An iron foundry at Bonne Terre, owned by the St. Joseph Lead Co., was destroyed by fire one day recently, causing a loss of \$6,000. It will be rebuilt.

The city council has ordered the marshal to make a list of "all dogs of the canine species" in town. Dogs not of the canine species will escape enumeration.

George C. Taylor of Crystal City owns Sam Hilderbrand's famous gun, "kill devil." There is said to be no mistake about this, as Sam's name is etched on the gun.

They love to lap up the booze down at Ironton. The Register says:

Beer comes in barrels now instead of cases. About 112 bottles where there used to be 48. Just a little more, that's all.

Rev. Chas. W. Anderson of this place enjoyed the distinction of being made moderator of the session of the Potosi Presbytery held at Kennett, Mo., last week. He will hold the office for six months.

County Judge Compton was a caller at this office Tuesday to renew his subscription and informed us that the county board of equalization at its recent session raised land values in the county for taxation about \$50,000.

With the receipts of the current year we will have the new court house about half paid for. This has taken seven years, but the other stretch should be shorter. We may look forward to the redemption of the last of the \$30,000 bond issue by 1920.

Mrs. W. J. Slais has disposed of the stock of harness and saddlery left by her husband, who died last summer, and the store has been closed. This was the oldest business establishment in Potosi, having been established in 1808, or 47 years ago, by Mr. Slais.

Geo. W. Beeler has sold all his town property here to Dr. Harry J. Blount for \$1,500. The transfer was made last Monday and includes the new concrete residence on Jefferson Street, a small dwelling in the north part of town now occupied by Manuel Forrester, and the barbershop, adjoining the Woolford building.

Mr. Clyde Strayer was badly hurt last Wednesday afternoon when his sleeve caught on a set-screw on his concrete mixer and he was dragged into the machinery. The machine was stopped before he was fatally hurt, but he had a narrow escape from death. As it was, he was badly bruised and lacerated about the body, arms and hands. He has recovered sufficiently to be about again. The accident occurred while the machine was being employed in road culvert work at the Richi farm.

Potosi vs. Flat River Sunday.

The first ball game of the season in the Busher's League will be pulled off in Potosi next Sunday, the home team taking on the Flat Rivers. Both teams promise to put up whacking ball on this occasion and the fans are looking forward to some live sport. The batteries will be—Potosi, Carrand Horsey; Flat River, Dempsey and Kauffman. The game will be called at 2:30.

Prosperity.

There are more than 900 tracts of land on the delinquent tax book of Iron County for the year 1914. This, in addition to something like 2,000 of the Murdock-Crumb tracts that are delinquent. The total amount of delinquent land tax in the county for the year totals \$4522.28. The amount due as shown on the consolidated tax book is \$10,044.99. Probably never before, certainly not in more than thirty years, has there been such a large delinquency in Iron County.—Ironton Register.

Higginbotham-Cresswell.

Mr. Alonzo S. Higginbotham and Miss Maud E. Cresswell, prominent young people of this county, were quietly married at Pleasant Hill last Sunday afternoon, Rev. I. B. Dodson officiating. The groom is a son of the late L. B. Higginbotham, and is an enterprising and prosperous young farmer. His bride is the daughter of Mr. George Cresswell of Aptus and a very charming and popular young lady. The happy couple will make their home on the Higginbotham farm at Latty. They both have many friends here who wish them the greatest felicity and prosperity in their new life.

Annual Reports This Week.

We issue a supplement with this edition containing the annual financial report of the county clerk and the report of the county board of equalization.

It will be observed from the clerk's report that the annual expenses of the county for the year ending March 15, 1915, was \$13,191 in excess of the revenues, consequently the outstanding warrants were augmented in that amount. The county's indebtedness, not including the court house bonds, amounts to \$8,043.42, with \$1,375.66 cash on hand in the general revenue, leaving a net indebtedness of \$6,667.76.

The court house debt has been reduced to \$21,000, and the treasury holds \$4,169.48 to be applied to the principal and interest on this account.

The general condition of the county's finances is far from satisfactory.

Laws Governing Autos.

An auto driver has no more rights on the road than anyone else, and must turn out and give a share of the road to drivers of other vehicles. If he gets haughty and supercilious, and puts on an air of owning the highway, just pull the following sections of the statutes on him:

The Laws of Missouri 1911, relative to motor vehicles provide that whenever a person operating a motor vehicle shall meet in the public highway any other person riding or driving a horse or horses or other animals the chauffeur shall reasonably turn his automobile to the right of the center of the highway so as to pass without interference.

Section 10540 R. S. Mo. 1909 makes this same requirement of the person driving the vehicle other than the automobile, or driving or riding an animal. The laws of 1911 further provide that when a person operating a motor vehicle shall overtake a horse, animal or other vehicle the rider or driver of the horse or other vehicle shall as soon as practicable turn aside to the right so as to allow free passage on the left hand side. And it is further provided that any person operating a motor vehicle shall at the intersection of public highways keep to the right of the intersection of the center lines of such highways when turning to the right, and pass to the right of such intersection when turning to the left.

A Live Sunday School.

It was my privilege to visit the newly organized union Sunday school at Belgrade on Sunday, the 18th inst. This school was organized three weeks ago with a membership of 32 and has now grown to an enrollment of 66. I found good, live officers, active teachers and attentive scholars. Its bible class of 22 members is one of the best in the county.

N. A. Maxwell,
Sec. Co. S. S. Ass'n.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Andrew W. Osia Tiff, Mo.
Carrie J. Boyer
Roy W. Russ Palmer, "
Bessie J. Wright Topozark, "
Alonzo S. Higginbotham, Potosi, "
Maud E. Cresswell Aptus, "
Jasper H. Farley Peoria, "
Gertrude N. Wortham

NOTICE

Eighth grade graduating exercises for rural schools will be held at Potosi Thursday, June 3, 1915. Teachers' examination will be held at the same place on the following Friday and Saturday, June 5 and 6.

BURWELL FOX, Co. Supt.

How Long Do You Want to Live?

Your lease of life depends greatly upon yourself. It may be long or short—as you desire.

If you would live to a ripe, old age, enjoying life to the fullest, you must give prompt heed to the aches and pains that overtake you, and especially to disorders of the stomach.

It is simple, easy and inexpensive when you know how. Keep in touch with your druggist. HE KNOWS, for it is his business to know, and he will tell you.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Subjects for Sunday, April 25th—morning, "God's Revelation;" evening, "Selling One's Birthright."

The remains of Col. P. R. Van Frank, a former resident of this county and well-known to many of our people, were buried at Hopewell today. We have not learned the particulars of his death, he had been living in Kansas City of late years, and he probably died there.

Shot From Ambush.

Last Monday morning a runaway team hitched to wagon and driven by a young man named Percy Portell, son of Charles Portell, who lives about two miles east of town, came careering along High street running west, creating much excitement for the moment. They turned up Missouri street at the court house and the team ran itself down going up the hill and was stopped just outside of town. No great damage resulted. However, young Portell tells a strange story as to the cause of the runaway. He states that while driving to town he was fired at twice with a shotgun by someone hidden in the bushes near the fork of the Mineral Point and Irondale roads. At the sound of the shots the horses bolted and he had no opportunity to observe who his assailant might be. His story is substantiated by the fact that he had to have several No. 4 shot picked out of his right arm and side. His injuries are not severe, as the pellets did not penetrate deep. Whether he was the victim of a would-be assassin or merely someone shooting with malicious intent is not known. The young man's father is offering a reward for the arrest of the shooter, and it is hoped he will soon be identified and landed behind the bars.

Died.

Mrs. M. L. Livingston of this place died Tuesday morning, April 20th, of an ailment from which she had suffered for several years, aged 60 years. The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon, with services at the Methodist Church, and she was laid to rest in the Masonic cemetery.

Her maiden was Emma Glendora Lloyd, being a daughter of Aaron and Martha Lloyd, both members of old, aristocratic English families. She was born at Greenfield, Ohio, May 19, 1855, where she spent her childhood. Her father meeting with reverses, moved to Missouri, where she met and married Milton Lilburn Livingston, in the year of 1873. To this union eight children were born—Clara L., William, Luther, Minnie M., Dora L., Jesse L., Clarence H., Estelle Maud, and Harry R., the latter dying in infancy. Mrs. Livingston was a most estimable woman, highly thought of by all who knew her. She had been a member of the M. E. Church for about thirty years.

Latty.

Wheat, oats and meadows are looking good since the shower on the 10th inst., but more rain is now needed.

A new telephone line is being built out to the stove mill on Indian Creek, connecting that locality with Potosi.

Misses Delia Bean and Cressie Hobbs visited at the home of their uncle, Mr. Gib Cresswell, Saturday and Sunday.

A great deal of la-grippe has prevailed here lately. Civil Engineer E. McCutchen of Potosi has been doing a great deal of surveying in this section this spring. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Matlock have been on the sick list for several weeks.

On the night of April 10th a barn on the farm of J. C. Nicholson was struck by lightning and burned. The stock and farm machinery in the barn was lost and the damage will amount to \$1,200.

The tie business here has about fizzled out, which, for the present, may be regarded as a good thing, since it will induce our people to give more attention to farming operations.

Corn planting is now going on and a large acreage is being planted.

The lands controlled by the Missouri Cattle and Hog Ranch Co. in this county are being advertised for sale under deed of trust.

READ THE JOURNAL, \$1.00.

COMFORTING WORDS.

Many a Potosi Household Will Find Them So.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed—to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders, is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. The following advice of one who has suffered will prove comforting to hundreds of Potosi readers:

M. L. Livingston, Main St., Potosi, says: "Some time ago my back was very lame and the kidney secretions were too frequent in passage. I used Doan's Kidney Pills as directed and they soon relieved me."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Livingston had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

NOTICE.

An eighth grade examination will be held at Mineral Point on April 23 and 24th. Racola, Tiff, Belfountain, Fertile and Cadet being approved schools, will hold their own examinations. Irondale and Caledonia being high schools under the state law will graduate their own grammar school pupils, but any one from surrounding districts will be permitted to take examination under Professor Barron and Professor McKinney. Notice will be given next week of the time and place of holding other eighth grade examinations.

BURWELL FOX, County Superintendent.

WE CHARGE FOR

Obituaries, 30 lines or less.....\$1.00
Each additional line, 3c
Obituary verses, per line, 5c
Resolutions of Respect.....\$1.00
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Nothing inserted unless remittance is made with order. Seven ordinary words make a line.

Memory.

To be convinced precisely of the fidelity and certainty of the memory, we must bear in mind that the image—idea or notion are equally good names for image—is an unmistakable and exact representation of the original impression. Unless there is this assurance—and the slightest defect of the muscles, eyes, skin, ears and other senses precludes and interferes with all possibility of accuracy—memory plays us a continual series of Hallowsen tricks and April Fool jokes.—Dr. Leonard Keene Hirschberg.

Two Jobs Lost.

"There goes a man I might have married," said Gertie. "He? Why he married his stenographer!" said Mabel. "I know it," replied Gertie. "I applied for the same job just ten minutes after she was hired."

"Yesterday is dead—forget it.
Tomorrow does not exist—don't worry.
To-day is here—use it."

We are knocking at the door of Spring, with Sunshine and Hope at the threshold. Let us forget hard times and the gloom of Winter, and work together for better things for ourselves and the community.

We want to be helpful in solving the financial problems that confront us, and are in a position to meet the pressing needs of our friends.

If you need money for legitimate purposes, come in and talk it over. We will help if we can do so safely.

Washington Coun'y Bank
Potosi, Missouri

NOTICE!

TO OUR CUSTOMERS:

Commencing with May 1, 1915, this company will adopt the CASH system, and collect for all goods sold on delivery.

No book accounts will be opened after above date, and we request all parties owing us to arrange to settle their accounts in cash or by good note during the month of May.

We solicit a continuance of your patronage, guaranteeing that all our products will be first class and our prices very reasonable.

Potosi Mill and Elevator
Company,
POTOSI, MO.

Exposition Train for Suffragists.

Arrangements are being made for special train from St. Louis and Kansas City to the Panama-Pacific Exposition for suffragists. On this special train a maximum of comfort and congeniality can be secured at a minimum of expense. The party will be personally conducted by a competent representative who will relieve the passengers of all travel worries. The party will go west via the Missouri Pacific, Denver & Rio Grande and Western Pacific, the most attractive and quickest route from St. Louis and Kansas City to the Pacific Coast, via the Royal Gorge. Passengers on this train may remain in San Francisco or other points of interest in California as long as they wish and return via a different route.

For complete information about this train and trip, address J. G. Hollenbeck, General Passenger Agent, St. Louis, Mo.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to creditors and all others interested in the estate of Bennett Bryan, deceased, that the undersigned administrator of said estate intends to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of Washington County, Missouri, to be begun and holden at the court house in the city of Potosi, on the second Monday in May, 1915.

H. S. Bryan, administrator.

March 31, 1915.

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Joseph Dirschel, insane, that the undersigned guardian of the said Joseph Dirschel, insane, will make a final settlement of his estate at the next term of the Probate Court of Washington County, Missouri, to be begun and holden at the court house, in the city of Potosi, on the second Monday in May, 1915.

Rudolph Jaeschke, Guardian.

March 31st, 1915.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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